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FEBRUARY UNIFORM PRICE \$3.98

Dairy farmers will receive a uniform price of \$3.98 for February 1965 deliveries of Grade A milk to handlers under the South Bend-LaPorte-Elkhart, Indiana, milk order. The uniform price is based upon a butterfat test of 3.5 percent, and will be adjusted by a differential of 7 cents for each one tenth percent that tests vary above or below the 3.5 percent standard. The minimum price is subject to a 4 cent per hundredweight marketing service deduction, together with the authorized hauling charge. This price is 8 cents less than the January 1965 uniform price, but is 8 cents higher than a year ago.

PRODUCER RECEIPTS

This market is now 100 percent bulk tank as of February 1, 1965. There are 45 less producers on the market than there were a year ago; however, the average daily production per producer is 949 pounds, compared with 889 pounds of a year ago. The average daily producer receipts for the month is down 1 percent from last year, but shows a 3 percent increase over January of this year. The average test of producer milk is .06 of a percent higher than it was a year ago and is only slightly less than January of this year.

CLASS I SALES

Sales of Class I products have decreased 4.5 percent from what they were a year ago. This is more than the decrease of last month from the previous year, when it was 3 percent below. This decrease can be caused by the fact that we have two handlers that quit during the year, but are still distributing packaged milk from another area.

ORDER NEWS

Beginning April 1, 1965, Order No. 31 will have an amended order. The main changes in the order will be, as follows:

1. Expansion of the marketing area to include the Counties of Kosciusko, Marshall, Starke, Porter, and Lake and rename the order Northwestern Indiana Marketing Area.
2. The combining of Class II and Class III into one class hereinafter known as Class II.
3. The reduction of butterfat differential rates from .13 times Chicago 93 score butter price to .12 times Chicago 92 score butter price in Class I and use .113 times Chicago 92 score butter price for the Class II differential.
4. The adder to the basic formula price for computing the Class I price will be increased an average of 10 cents for the year, but the Chicago supply demand adjustment is to be used for this market, which ordinarily takes off 24 cents. Since the Chicago Order No. 30 is to be terminated as of March 31, 1965, this market will use an equivalent price provision for Class I determined by the Secretary of Agriculture.

CLASS I PRICE

The Class I price for the March 1965 delivery period will be \$4.04 per hundredweight for 3.5 percent milk. The price was computed by adding \$0.90 per hundredweight to the basic formula price (\$3.22), minus the 8 cent supply demand adjustment.

ORDER NO. 31 PRICES

Class Prices and Uniform Prices Per Cwt. for 3.5% Milk
Average Prices For The Years 1956-1962 And By Months From 1963 To Date

Year and Month	<u>CLASS I</u>			<u>CLASS II</u>		<u>CLASS III</u>	<u>UNIFORM PRICES</u> B. F.	
	<u>Differ- ential</u>	<u>Supply Demand</u>	<u>Milk Price</u>	<u>Differ- ential</u>	<u>Milk Price</u>	<u>Milk Price</u>	<u>Milk Price</u>	<u>Differ- ential</u>
1956	\$ 1.22	\$ - .049	\$4.277	\$ --	\$ --	\$3.118	\$4.005	\$.071
1957	1.10	- .177	4.040	.59	3.688	3.126	3.833	.071
1958	1.08	- .118	3.980	.60	3.611	3.009	3.777	.070
1959	1.10	+ .075	4.188	.60	3.608	3.018	3.966	.072
1960	1.10	- .008	4.220	.60	3.720	3.150	3.988	.071
1961	1.10	- .018	4.310	.55	3.550	3.210	4.050	.073
1962	1.10	- .05	4.15	--	3.16	2.98	3.85	.071
<u>1963</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$ - .04	\$4.17	\$ --	\$ 3.13	\$3.03	\$3.87	\$.070
Feb.	1.10	- .10	4.10	--	3.13	3.05	3.83	.070
Mar.	.90	- .10	3.90	--	3.14	3.06	3.68	.070
Apr.	.90	- .08	3.91	--	3.13	3.02	3.67*	.070
May	.90	- .04	3.94	--	3.13	2.98	3.62*	.070
June	.90	- .02	3.95	--	3.14	2.96	3.58*	.070
July	1.10	- .02	4.16	--	3.13	2.98	3.83*	.070
Aug.	1.30	- .06	4.33	--	3.14	3.01	4.01	.070
Sept.	1.30	- .08	4.32	--	3.22	3.06	4.03	.072
Oct.	1.30	- .02	4.40	--	3.17	3.11	4.14	.070
Nov.	1.30	.00	4.45	--	3.16	3.13	4.17	.070
Dec.	1.10	+ .02	4.28	--	3.16	3.14	3.95	.070
Av.	\$ 1.10	\$ - .05	\$4.16	\$ --	\$3.15	\$3.04	\$3.87	\$.070
<u>1964</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$ - .04	\$4.22	\$ --	\$3.16	\$3.14	\$3.92	\$.070
Feb.	1.10	- .10	4.17	--	3.15	3.14	3.90	.070
Mar.	.90	- .12	3.94	--	3.15	3.10	3.69	.070
Apr.	.90	- .08	3.97	--	3.15	3.09	3.73	.070
May	.90	- .08	3.94	--	3.15	2.98	3.60	.070
June	.90	- .06	3.96	--	3.15	2.98	3.62	.070
July	1.10	- .02	4.19	--	3.15	3.02	3.85	.070
Aug.	1.30	- .06	4.36	--	3.22	3.02	4.01	.071
Sept.	1.30	- .06	4.39	--	3.30	3.12	4.15	.074
Oct.	1.30	- .06	4.48	--	3.26	3.18	4.25	.073
Nov.	1.30	+ .02	4.59	--	3.33	3.20	4.28	.075
Dec.	1.10	+ .12	4.51	--	3.25	3.25	4.21	.071
Av.	\$ 1.10	\$ - .05	\$4.23	\$ --	\$3.20	\$3.10	\$3.93	\$.071
<u>1965</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$.00	\$4.39	\$ --	\$3.23	\$3.23	\$4.06	\$.070
Feb.	1.10	- .06	4.29	--	3.18	3.18	3.98	.070
Mar.	.90	- .08	4.04	--				
Apr.	.90			--				

* The price shown is the weighted average of the base price and the excess price.

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UTILIZATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MILK

March 1965

	February 1965		February 1964	
	Reported Data		Audited Data	
<u>CLASS I</u>	Product Pounds	Butterfat Pounds	Product Pounds	Butterfat Pounds
Milk	8,773,256	316,589	9,790,296	353,299
2% Skim Milk	957,498	20,595	872,228	18,442
Skim Milk	123,806	80	115,608	131
Fortified Skim Milk	81,251	1,146	39,249	218
Buttermilk	82,404	810	89,054	874
Flavored Milk & Drink	565,763	18,239	574,640	18,660
Cereal Mixture	130,373	16,045	152,269	18,493
Coffee Cream	10,573	1,610	6,962	1,314
Whipping Cream	15,828	6,036	19,318	7,469
Sour Cream	9,121	1,815	9,080	1,767
Total Class I Utilization	10,749,873	382,965	11,668,704	420,667
Add: Class I Shrinkage	69,857	6,968	62,713	4,331
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	5,304	91	--	--
Subtract: Overage	--	--	--	--
Net Class I	10,814,426	389,842	11,731,417	424,998
<u>CLASS II</u>				
Used to Produce Cottage Cheese	872,447	12,651	283,361	6,445
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	270	--	550	--
Subtract: Overage	--	--	--	--
Net Class II	872,177	12,651	282,811	6,445
<u>CLASS III</u>				
Class III Products	3,346,345	182,763	3,974,347	185,719
Inventory Variation	152,317	9,504	(70,897)	(878)
Total Class III Utilization	3,498,662	192,267	3,903,450	184,841
Add: Class III Shrinkage	117,830	9,318	110,061	7,461
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	36,882	3,403	53,287	4,564
Subtract: Overage	9,621	--	10,108	20
Net Class III	3,569,989	198,182	3,950,116	187,718
TOTAL PRODUCER RECEIPTS	15,256,592	600,675	15,964,344	619,161

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

	February 1965	January 1965	February 1964
Average Daily Production	544,878#	528,575#	550,495#
February 1965 Production Compared With -	--	+ 3.08%	- 1.02%
Class I Daily Average	383,924#	377,846#	402,369#
February 1965 Sales Compared With -	--	+ 1.61%	- 4.58%
Number of Producers	574	575	619
Daily Herd Production	949#	919#	889#
Av. Test of Producer Milk Received	3.9372%	3.9456%	3.8784%
Total Value Paid Producers	\$653,898.35	\$716,374.54	\$664,855.56
Av. Monthly Milk Check Per Farm	\$ 1,139.20	\$ 1,245.87	\$ 1,074.08
Av. Daily Milk Check Per Farm	\$ 40.69	\$ 40.19	\$ 37.04

RECEIPTS AND CLASSIFICATION OF PRODUCER MILK

<u>Year</u>	<u>CLASS I</u>		<u>CLASS II</u>		<u>CLASS III</u>		<u>Total Producer Receipts</u>
	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Percent</u>	
1956	10,125,716	75.4	--	--	3,302,901	24.6	13,428,617
1957	11,720,328	70.8	1,107,967	6.7	3,725,823	22.5	16,554,118
1958	13,517,112	73.0	1,310,449	7.1	3,685,335	19.9	18,512,896
1959	16,589,993	76.9	1,211,475	5.6	3,769,307	17.5	21,570,775
1960	17,498,173	74.3	1,458,651	6.3	4,634,073	19.4	23,590,897
1961	12,603,589	73.1	565,768	3.1	4,045,775	23.8	17,215,132
1962	11,484,162	72.5	351,142	2.2	4,038,116	25.3	15,873,420
<u>1963</u>							
Jan.	12,076,063	72.6	325,447	1.9	4,237,665	25.5	16,639,175
Feb.	10,884,996	72.7	268,859	1.8	3,810,435	25.5	14,964,290
Mar.	11,949,001	73.5	394,568	2.4	3,909,489	24.1	16,253,058
Apr.	11,471,912	71.5	270,792	1.7	4,291,808	26.8	16,034,512
May	11,528,781	65.6	307,140	1.7	5,741,907	32.7	17,577,828
June	9,977,855	62.3	282,019	1.8	5,755,624	35.9	16,015,498
July	10,647,953	71.2	387,449	2.6	3,924,904	26.2	14,960,306
Aug.	11,116,627	74.9	330,561	2.2	3,391,251	22.9	14,838,439
Sept.	11,165,000	76.5	331,423	2.3	3,088,561	21.2	14,584,984
Oct.	12,430,690	79.5	337,884	2.2	2,859,933	18.3	15,628,507
Nov.	11,910,254	77.8	277,643	1.8	3,128,013	20.4	15,315,910
Dec.	11,502,370	70.5	254,234	1.6	4,553,781	27.9	16,310,385
Av.	11,388,459	72.4	314,001	2.0	4,057,781	25.6	15,760,241
<u>1964</u>							
Jan.	12,195,594	71.4	278,286	1.6	4,602,013	27.0	17,075,893
Feb.	11,727,954	73.5	284,569	1.8	3,950,839	24.7	15,963,362
Mar.	11,927,447	69.5	338,950	2.0	4,894,823	28.5	17,161,220
Apr.	11,638,643	71.6	289,237	1.8	4,335,233	26.6	16,263,113
May	11,419,402	64.8	312,492	1.8	5,881,459	33.4	17,613,353
June	10,455,377	64.7	329,504	2.1	5,365,983	33.2	16,150,864
July	10,854,474	70.2	271,886	1.8	4,334,220	28.0	15,460,580
Aug.	10,861,604	73.2	259,963	1.7	3,719,169	25.1	14,840,736
Sept.	11,401,905	80.0	326,706	2.3	2,532,880	17.7	14,261,491
Oct.	12,325,412	82.5	294,814	2.0	2,314,219	15.5	14,934,445
Nov.	11,310,750	76.9	257,601	1.8	3,142,993	21.3	14,711,344
Dec.	11,831,824	75.7	256,930	1.6	3,544,317	22.7	15,633,071
Av.	11,495,866	72.8	291,745	1.9	4,051,512	25.3	15,839,123
<u>1965</u>							
Jan.	11,793,823	72.0	233,824	1.4	4,358,187	26.6	16,385,834
Feb.	10,814,426	70.9	872,177	5.7	3,569,989	23.4	15,256,592